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Army To Be 718,500 In War Time IIPH

 Analysis Shows the Figures Agreed On Are Larger Than at First Given.

NATIONAL GUARD TO TOTAL 457,000

Company Peace Units, 100 for Infantry, 75 for Cavalry, 126 for Artillery.

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 16. ASHINGTON, D. C. May 16.—
Revined figures on the army reorganization bill as agreed upon by house and senate conferees and sabmitted to the senate today by instrume Chamberlain, show that the new army will be even larger than ansonneed when the agreement was reached last Saturday. Careful analysis shows the maximum strength in thing of poace will be rilinge officers and men, including II,000 staff troops, Philippine seous and massistned recruits, and that the war strength will be 236, 500 officers and combatant roops, which with staff troops, scouts, etc., added, will bring the aggregate on all the staff troops, scouts, and seal the which combated recruits, and that the war strength will be 236, 500 officers and combatant roops, which, with staff troops, scouts, etc., added, will bring the aggregate on all the staff troops, scouts, and combatent roops, which, with staff troops, scouts, etc., added, will bring the aggregate on all the staff troops, scouts, and combatent roops, which with staff troops, scouts, etc., added, will bring the aggregate on the vising seem signal lights at sea on the evening before 6000 Fre-

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Hundreds Fail to Gain Ad mittance to Hear of Casement's Rebel Acts.

London, Eng. May 18 .- For hours this morning crowds of people spood. a line around Bow Street police staion waiting for the resumption of the rraignment of Sir Roger Cavement on harges of high treason in connection

with the Sinn Fein rebellion. The little court room was crowded within five minutes after the doors vere opened and many hundreds of en and women were unable to obtain

There was some speculation today is to whether Casement's lawyers would place him on the stand at this recliminary hearing. It was generally relieved this will not be done His awyers refuse to state whether they will consider such a stor.

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The War At a Glance

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In the vicinity of the Thicumont farm, northeast of the fort-

mont farm, northeast of the fortress, a German hand gremate attack was completely repulsed. Paris declares.

News is awaited as to further
movements of a fieet of German
matheships reported Monday right
to have left Kiel for Rica. Petrostrain recently has indicated expecfation of a powerful offensive to
the Germans against the Rigalytinsk front.

Berlit's report on the Vendun
fighting amaginess the repulse of
several attacks by the French.
Lisbon announces a clash between
formany and Fortuguese forces on
the nouthern boundary of Portuguese. East Africa in which the
ficeimans, who took the offensive,
were twice beaten off.
A Turkien claim that a British
monitor was sunk by Turkish artileny off the lidand of Kesten is denied by the British admiralty.

Gen. Von Moltke Declares Entente Has No Chance to Win This War.

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Redistribution of Troops To Guard Border, Planned By General, Begins.

DETAILS OF PLAN ARE KEPT SECRET

Every Bridge Between San Antonio and El Paso Is To Be Protected.

S AN ANTONIO, Texas, May 16.—Dis-of or or thought under the tribution of thoops under the plan of organization of the border paworking since his return from El Paso, begun today. Details of the plan have he not been announced beyond the statement that stronger detechments will be of recognition, stationed at the bridges and towns along the G. H. & S. A. callroad. Gen. Function has ordered that every bridge etween San Antonio and El Pago bo munraled.

Orders were issued today assigning several batteries of field artillery new ion of the central powers justifies the culef that the states are stated at Fort Sam Houston to the work of culef that the states are stated at Fort Sam Houston to the work of culef that the states are stated at Fort Sam Houston to the work of

soit from these Saturday have reported the presence of Mexicans across the Blo Grande not far from Progreso, which is 12 miles south of Donna, on the river. The Mexicans did not cross the river, but a report had it they were preparing to cross Saturday when the

Awaits Arrival of Sibley's Column Before Closing in

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Responsible; Says Love For Husband is Dead. New York, May 16 .- Mrs Clara A.

Walte, for the opening of whose trial Walle is charged with the murder of his fatherinlaw, John E. Pock. Mrs. Waite declared she was willing

Mrs. Waite declared she was willing to testify at the trial of her husband. "It is my duty to be at the trial if needed," said Mrs. Waite. "I am not anxious to go, but I feel that It is my duty to my parents and I am ready to do anything for that reason.

'In my husband's case there may have been a lack of meral halance, but there was no linck of responsibility. There was no link as a linck of my life now. The meal he represented to me will always be one that I shall care about any girl would. But he wasn't that ideal. He was a different person to me. He always deceived me."

Percy Peck visited the Tombs and looked in at Ir. Waite as he sat in his cell. The two men exchanged no signs of recognition.

of Methodist Churches Up Before Conference.

Samtoga Springs, N. Y., May 16 .- A Earl Cranston, of Washington, D. C. was chairman. The committee on-

Declares Slayer of Peck was Airplanes Making Coast to Coast Journey Will Fly Along Rio Grande.

New York, May 16.-El Paso, Texas, Waite says she no longer has any love Tucson and Yume, Aria, are to witness for her husband, Dr. Arthur Warren the transcontinental airplane competinext Monday she has come here from by the Aero Chab of America. The her home in Grand Rapids, Mich. Dr., flight is to start from New York September 2, it is announced.

No definite decision has been reached as to the route, but it was said the routs would probably be laid out

Report on Proposed Fusion Dr. Pierce Urges Greater Caution in Preventing Importation From Mexico,

Austin, Tex., May 16.-Typhus fever tentative plan for the proposed union has prevailed extensively in all portions of American Method sm was presented of Mexico during the past year, accordto the general conference of the Meth- ing to Dr. C. C. Plerce, senior surgeon odist Episcopal church today in a report of the United States public health servoffered by a committee, of which bishop inc, who spent some time here conferwas chairman. The committee on. Collins regarding the situation as af-ferred, with some modifications, a se-

national convention to be held here in June are planning to fill in waits between speeches and committee reports at the convention with music, it was made shown tedes.

Fifty musicians from the Chicago Symphony srebestra and the Chicago Symphony srebestra and the Chicago open had nay and a number of grand upon stars are under considerables it is said.

FOUR GOVERNORS TO MARCH
IN PREPAREDNESS PARADE
San Francisco, Calif., May 16.—Four western governors will march in a preparetiment paretimes parade which is to be held in San Francisco in June under the auspices of the Pacific Coast defence league, according to an aunonomorement made public here today. The state executives who have accepted the livitiations to participate are Gov. Hiram W. Johnson of California. Gov. Emmerile, D. Boyle of Newada, Gov. James Whitten of Washington.

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New York, May 12.—Husbands who accompany their wives to the General Federation of Women's Clubs, beginning here next week, will be turned over to the men's clobs of the city. The federation's committee on husbands announced this decision today after wrestling with one of the mest perplexing problems of the convention.

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Mexican Forces Are to Demonstrate Ability to Control Bandit Regions.

U.S. TROOPS TO STAY IN MEXICO

Obregon Has Agreed to Police Border and to Place Troops In Bandit Zorie.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 16.— Gen. Carranza has agreed to Maj. Gen. Scott's informal understanding with Gen. Obregon, which provides that Carranus forces shall enfeavor to show their ability to control

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Cloudcroft Likes Smith's Political Articles In Herald

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GURRIE SMITH, of Alamogordo, one of the last newspaper men of this section, has been engaged by the El Paso Hersid to write a series of articles on the political situation in New Mexico. Several well written articles have already appeared and Mr. Smith has just left El Paso to visit Securio. Albuquerque, Santa Fe, Las Vegas, Tucument, Carringo, the Peces valley, Las Crures, Deming and Silver City, gathering information for others. "Gus," as he is familiarly known in Otero county, has been in the newspaper game in New Mexico for several years, and his work has been accognized by more large newspapers than one.

Mayor Lea Can Laugh At Snipers If He Puts Through the Scenic